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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Data Processing

FROM:

Charles A. Bohrer, M.D.

Director of Medical Services

SUBJECT:

CAMPS Data Storage and Retrieval Requirements

Study dated 16 August 1977

1. The Office of Medical Services (OMS) wishes to express appreciation for the study and report on the Computer Assisted Medical Processing System (CAMPS) Data Storage and Retrieval Requirements and for the briefings on GIM and the National Military Command System Information Processing System (NIPS) that were provided for our consultants. After considerable deliberation of the report and discussions with our consultants, we concur with your recommendation to utilize NIPS as the Data Base Management System (DBMS) for the CAMPS data bases.

2. We now request that we move expeditiously together to complete the Diagnosis subsystem as a pilot project utilizing NIPS. This will assist us in determining through the use of an actual application program if NIPS is, indeed, the correct DBMS for CAMPS before we develop a detailed long-range plan to convert the existing CAMPS data bases to the NIPS DBMS. If, after completion of the Diagnosis subsystem, NIPS remains the preferred DBMS, we will then request a detailed joint Office of Medical Services/Office of Data Processing plan to convert the CAMPS data bases to NIPS and to modify existing CAMPS programs so they can access the NIPS data base.

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3. Please have the appropriate members of your staff contact M.D., the OMS Medical Systems Development Officer, regarding further development concerning the above matters.

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Charles A. Bohrer, M.D.

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